

MEMORANDUM TO: Victor McCree, Chairperson
Significance Determination Process Task Group

October 11, 2002

FROM: James Trapp, Task Group Member /RA/
Significance Determination Process Task Group

SUBJECT: PUBLIC MEETING TO DISCUSS THE SIGNIFICANCE
DETERMINATION PROCESS

DATE & TIME: Friday, October 25, 2002, 9:00 a.m. - 12:00 p.m.

LOCATION: U.S. Nuclear Regulatory Commission
One White Flint North
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Rockville, Maryland

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Supporting Documentation: SDP Task Group Charter Package
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AGENDA
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Friday, October 25, 2002, OWFN O14B6

- Opening remarks by NRC (9:00 a.m. to 9:15 a.m)
 - Purpose of Meeting
 - Background
 - Objectives of SDP Task Group
 - Format of Discussion
- Discussion Topics (9:15 a.m. to 12:00 p.m.)
 - Contribution of SDP to ROP Objectives
 - Characterization of Significance of Inspection Findings using SDP
 - Staff Implementation of SDP
 - Recommendation on Use of SDP Phase 2 and/or Phase 3
 - Use of Uncertainty Analysis in the SDP
- Break (10:30 a.m. to 10:45 a.m.)
- Discussion Topics (10:45 a.m. to 12:00 p.m.)
 - Use of Other Inputs in Evaluating Licensee Performance
 - Public Confidence in NRC Significance Determinations
 - Other Recommendations to Improve ROP/SDP
- Summary